

***Howard County Commission for Transitioning Students with Disabilities***

*January 12, 2017*

*Roger Carter Community Center  
3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City*

*8:30-10:30 am*

***Agenda***

By the end of this meeting, participants will have:

- Gained knowledge of Pre-Employment Transition Services offered through DORS
- Gained knowledge about the Maryland Association of Community Services
- Identified priorities of the three workgroups

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Who</b>	<b>Time</b>
Welcome and introductions Celebrations from group	Beth Benevides	8:30
Approval of Minutes	Beth Benevides	8:55
Guest Presentations	Christopher House Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist Pre-Employment Transition Services MSDE / DORS  Rena Kosmides Director of Training & Technical Asst. Maryland Association of Community Services	9:00
Workgroup Priorities	Rob Baynard (Employment) Ann Scholz (Education) Marya Pecukonis (Community)	10:00
Closure	All	10:25

**Mission Statement:**

Ensure an effective, efficient and comprehensive delivery of services that will most successfully meet the transition needs of Howard County students with disabilities.

**Vision Statement:**

A community that values each student's abilities and provides diverse college, career and community opportunities that lead to individual success.

**Future meeting dates:**

March 9, 2017 – 8:30-10:30am

Roger Carter Community Center, 3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City

May 11, 2017 – 8:30-10:30am

Roger Carter Community Center, 3000 Milltowne Drive, Ellicott City